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CALENDAR FOR MICROSCOPICAL COLLECTING

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The microscopist is fortunate in enjoying an open season the year around. His excursions into minute worlds—a drop of water, a plant cell, a mineral crystal—are not curtailed by weather conditions or transportation difficulties. Seasonal changes make available to him a fascinating range of fresh, live specimens, and he need never be at a loss for material suitable for microscopic examination if he has picked up fragments of rock or has preserved animal or plant material for future laboratory work.

This calendar is designed as a month-to-month guide for microscopical work in various fields.

January	Moss, Fauna connected with moss such as Rhizopods, Infusoria, etc.	Technical microscopy, Fixed material, Cultures	Winter plankton, Fungi.	
February	Lichen, Bacteria.	Rocks, Foods, etc.	Diatoms	
March				
April	Plankton, Crustacea.	Protozoa,		
May		Rotifers, Annelids, Echinoderms.	Rhizopods	
June			Porifera	
July	Botanical and zoological specimens (Insects, flowers, etc.)		Arthropods	
August			Rocks and Minerals	
September	Diatoms, Basidiomycetes.	Plankton	Pollen	
October				
November			Bryophytes, Bacteria.	
December	Technical microscopy.	Cultures, Fixed material.	Fungi	

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